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INVESTIGATION INTERVIEW RECORD		PHILADELPHIA POLICE DEPARTMENT HOMICIDE DIVISION		CASE NO: H76-315	
NAME Robert Mickens		AGE 32	RACE N/M	INTERVIEWER McNesby - Cimino	
ADDRESS [REDACTED]		APARTMENT [REDACTED]		DOB 5-28-52	
NAME OF EMPLOYMENT/SCHOOL				PHONE NO. None	
ADDRESS OF EMPLOYMENT/SCHOOL		DEPARTMENT		SOC. SEC. NO.	
DATES OF PLANNED VACATIONS				PHONE NO.	
DATES OF PLANNED BUSINESS TRIPS					
NAME OF CLOSE RELATIVE Regina Belser (Common Law Wife)					
ADDRESS [REDACTED]				PHONE NO. None	
PLACE OF INTERVIEW Inside Room 104 PAB				DATE 9-26-84	TIME 1630 AM PM
BROUGHT IN BY Police				DATE 9-26-84	TIME AM PM
WE ARE QUESTIONING YOU CONCERNING The homicide by shooting of Joseph Hollis 20N/M, who					
WARNINGS GIVEN BY was shot and killed inside the pool room 1008 W. Huntingdon St. 10-22-76 about 9:50PM					
ANSWERS					
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6) (7)
Q- What is your full and correct name?					
A- Robert Mickens.					
Q- Are you known by any other name or nickname?					
A- Bobby.					
Q- Can you read and write the English language?					
A- Yes.					
Q- Are you now under the influence of any drugs or alcohol?					
A- No.					
Q- How far did you go in school?					
A- 11th Grade.					
Q- Did you know the deceased in this case Joseph Hollis?					
A- I didn't know him personally but used to see him around.					
Q- Go on in your own words and tell me what you know of his death.					
A- I was at Germantown and Huntingdon Sts. by myself. It was dark out and the					
RECORD <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		CHECKED BY			
REVIEWED BY					

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stores were closed. It had to be 9:30 PM or a little later and was walking			
east west on Huntingdon St. towards Warnock St. When I got to the corner of War-			
nock & Huntingdon St. I ran into Alfred Clark and I saw William Franklin and			
Major Tillery on the steps of Goldies poolroom. Askir ^{Major Tillery} (Alfred Clark) asked			
me where I was gone at. I said what's up. He said we are supposed to be having			
a meeting here and a couple of guys are supposed to be coming from West Philly			
^{Major Tillery} Askir said, " You know how the police is if they see all these cars out here			
they will start asking questions and knocking on doors". He was referring to			
^{Askir} his car a white cadillac and ^{Major Tillery's} car which was a Lincoln. The cars			
were parked up on the pavement of Warnock St. Askir asked me to look out to			
see if the police came and if they did to tap on the glass. I said "How long			
do you want me to lay here" and he said to hold fast, the guys that were			
supposed to come should be there in a few minutes. I sat by there on the			
step and maybe 15 or 20 minutes went by and a couple more cars pulled up			
one of them parked on the 2600 block of Warnock St. Two guys got out and			
went inside the poolroom. I did not catch who that was, then another car			
pulls up, it pulled on the 1000 block of Huntingdon St. I stood up and went			
back to the corner where the pool room is at, on the southwest corner. These			
two guys walked past me and they went into the poolroom too. I was getting			
ready to knock on the door of the poolroom to ask Askir if everything was okay			
cause I was getting ready to go, but he had come out the door already and he			
told me everything was cool, for me to stay there and look out for the			
police. I went back to the side step and sat down again. Maybe 20 minutes			
went by and I heard a couple ^{guns shot} shots. I heard some glass break so I jumped			
up. I ran behind a car there and this guy ran past me, he ran west on			

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<p>Huntingdon. William Franklin was behind this dude, he was chasing him. By this time I got into a little panic so I started going towards Cumberland St., then I went west and came back up 11th and as I was approaching Huntingdon, I seen William go back towards the poolroom, he was walking fast. I got to the corner of 11th & Huntingdown and I seen Alfred and the Major getting in different cars. Alfred got in his Caddy and the Major got in the Lincoln. I turned back around and I seen the police coming with their lights on. I went back in my house, I was staying at [REDACTED] then. I took my jacket off and layed it down and came back to the door and I seen the police half way in the middle of the block. People was saying somebody got shot and ran to Miss Brown's house where he fell in the door.</p>			
Q.	Do you know who was being chased by William Franklin?		
A.	I don't know who he was, I just saw him by the side as he was running.		
Q.	Did William Franklin have anything in his hands as he was chasing this man		
A.	He had a gun in his right hand. I don't know what kind though. It was a revolver.		
Q.	Was William Franklin saying anything when he was chasing the man?		
A.	No		
Q.	How many shots did you hear coming from the poolroom when you were sitting on the steps?		
A.	About 4		

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Q. Did you hear any other shots, other than the ones you heard come from the poolroom?			
A. No			
Q. How far was William Franklin in back of the dude when he was chasing him?			
A. Less than 10 feet.			
Q. Did you ever talk with William Franklin, the Major or Alfred Clark about this killing?			
A. I talked with the Major about 2 days later. I met him at ^{Warrick R.M.} Broad and Cumberland and he told me that if the police should pick me up to say that I was at the Mosque that night and that he, the Major, was on post in the Mosque too. He also told me to say that he brought me and my girlfriend home that night, he said that way the police could not place him at the scene of the killing. Also about a month and a half ago I seen him in Holmesburg. He told me he was going to give my name to his lawyer so that I could say he was at the Mosque with me on the night of the killing. He also told me to make sure I said that he brought me and my girlfriend home about 11:30PM or 12:00 midnight. Then he gave me his prison number which he said was M9786. Then he gave me a name, Jonci Major, he said she was his lady, he gave me her phone number but I don't have it now, I got it back at my room, I can get it for you. He told me to keep in contact with Jonci and he told me she could tell me where he be at.			

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Q. Did you talk with William Franklin?			
A. Within a few days after the killing he told me nobody was going to give him that body cause it was found in the pool room. He did tell me though that "I found out the mother fucker that I shot, the one that went in Miss Brown's house, was trying to get to his car". The man's car had been parked in front of my house, the Homicide Detectives got it the next day.			
Q. Do you know who the guy that was found in Miss Brown's house was with in the poolroom?			
A. He was with Joseph Hollis. They was the last two to go into the poolroom then Alfred Clark told me everything was okay, that they was going to start the meeting.			
Q. Who is Major and where does he stay?			
A. He used to be from [REDACTED] we called him Slime. We also called him Major Tillery.			
Q. Who is Alfred Clark and where does he stay?			
A. His street name is Beesley, he is dead now, he was shot and killed.			
Q. Who is William Franklin and where does he stay?			
A. They call him Pork, he used to live on [REDACTED]			
Q. How many cars were at the meeting?			
A. There was 5, Beesleys car which was parked on the pavement, [REDACTED]			

Robert M. Miller